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In re Application of :
Scott A. Jones and Douglas M. :
Keenan : DECISION GRANTING PETITION
Application No. 10/687,510 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)
Filed: October 16, 2003 :
Title: PLAYBACK DEVICE HAVING
TEXT DISPLAY AND COMMUNICATION
WITH REMOTE DATABASE OF TITLES

This is in response to the "Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a)," filed June 22, 2004.

The petition is granted.

Petitioner has shown that the non-signing inventor has refused to join in the filing of the above-identified application.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status. As provided in Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the Declaration. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

The file is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-9200.

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